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1. An enlarged power plant and a central workshop is to be constructed in Konin. An administrative building may also be built.
2. Only project drawings are to be made of the other installations such as the briquetting plant and the low temperature carbonization plant.
3. Those plans which are no longer necessary have already been collected in the Berlin II VEB Entwurfsbureau fuer Industriebau (Design and Industrial Construction), and the actual work on the project have been settled with the Projektierungs- und Konstruktionsbureau (PKB) Kohle (Coal Section of the Designs and Construction Bureau) in Berlin-Weissensee.
4. At present the PKB Kohle has great difficulties in handling the projects for the Konin Combine, since all permits to enter Poland have been cancelled. Furthermore, the Staatliche Plankommission in Berlin (State Planning Commission) has demanded the return of all those technologists who were still in Poland in May.
5. These measures have been issued by Polish authorities.

Source believes that these measures are connected with the building up of a spy ring which allegedly exists in Poland.

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